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Thomas Jefferson University
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1824-1989*

*Friday, June Ninth
Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine
Half Past Ten O'clock*

The Academy of Music

THE OATH OF HIPPOCRATES

I do solemnly swear by that which I hold most sacred:

That I will be loyal to the profession of medicine,
just to its members, and generous to its institutions;

That I will lead my life and practice my art in
uprightness and honor;

That I will give respect and gratitude to those who
have taught me this art;

That into whatsoever house I shall enter, it shall be
for the good of the sick to the utmost of my power,
I holding myself aloof from wrong, from corruption,
from the tempting of others to vice;

That I will exercise my art for the best care of my
patients,
and I will give no drug, perform no operation for
a criminal purpose, even if solicited far less
suggest it;

That whatsoever I shall see or hear of the lives of
my patients which is not fitting to be spoken,
I will keep inviolably secret.

These things I do promise upon my honor.

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News, VA

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THOMAS E. DAY Darby, PA

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JEFFREY ALAN BEACH Wilkes-Barre, PA
CINDY DIANE CARDONICK Southampton, NJ
CATHERINE MARY GLAVEY DOWHY Atco, NJ
BARBARA ELLEN DRAKE Havertown, PA
KAREN MARIE DURKEE Richmond, MI
EDNA F. HAGEN Philadelphia, PA
VICTORIA MARIA HOSHOWSKY Philadelphia, PA
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of New Jersey — New Jersey Medical School,
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JEANMARIE ORSO Fort Lee, NJ
NANCY LYNN PECK Sicklerville, NJ
NANCY J. PICARELLO Philadelphia, PA
SHARON SCERRATO Teaneck, NJ
NANCY L. TOMASELLI Cherry Hill, NJ
CATHERINE MARY WEIKEL Runnemede, NJ
DIANE YERARDI WOODFORD Voorhees, NJ

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to add or withdraw names from the list of candidates for degrees.

AOA — Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society

AWARDS and PRIZES

Awarded at Class Day Exercises on Thursday, June 8, 1989

FACULTY AWARDS

The Christian R. and Mary F. Lindback Award for Distinguished Teaching.

BASIC SCIENCES: MARK RANDALL DENISON, B.A., M.D., Assistant Professor of Pediatrics and
Instructor in Microbiology
CLINICAL SCIENCES: PETER AMADIO, Jr., B.S., M.D., Clinical Professor of Family Medicine and
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

Burlington Northern Foundation Faculty Achievement Award. For excellence in teaching and research
productivity.

RONALD P. JENSH, B.A., M.A., Ph.D., Professor of Anatomy and Associate Professor of Radiology

*Blockley-Osler Award for Excellence in Teaching of Clinical Medicine to a Faculty Member of a Jefferson
Affiliated Hospital.*

DAVID ROSE, B.A., M.D., Instructor in Surgery, The Bryn Mawr Hospital

The Leon A. Peris Memorial Award. To a member of the volunteer faculty for excellence in clinical teaching
and superior patient care.

WARREN PEARLMAN GOLDBURGH, B.S., M.D., Clinical Professor of Medicine

AWARDS TO GRADUATING STUDENTS

The Clinical Surgery Prize in memory of Francis Torrens Stewart, M.D., Professor of Surgery, Jefferson
Medical College, 1910-1920.

MARK RUSSELL SARFATI, (honorable mention: DONALD HERBERT ANDERSEN)

The Orthopaedic Surgery Prize, sponsored by the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery.

DOUGLAS CRAIG SUTTON, (honorable mention: PRODRAMOS A. VERVERELI)

The Edward J. Moore Memorial Prize in Pediatrics.

KATHLEEN O'CONNOR VERVERELI, (honorable mention: DOUGLAS GRANT FIELD)

The Henry Keller Mohler Memorial Prize in Therapeutics, sponsored by Mr. Jesse Hubschman in memory of
his wife, Natalie, to honor Henry Keller Mohler, M.D.

PETER ANTHONY LUONGO, (honorable mention: SCOTT ALAN SAUERWINE)

The S. MacCuen Smith Memorial Prize in Otolaryngology, sponsored by Mrs. Stuart Lodge Bullivant in memory of
her father.

IRVIN DAVID BOUGH, Jr., (honorable mention: JOHN MICHAEL DeGAUDIO)

The Carroll R. Mullen Memorial Prize in Ophthalmology.

CAROL A. HART, (honorable mention: WYNNE ALLISON MORLEY)

The Obstetrics and Gynecology Prize sponsored by Mrs. Sarah George Miller in honor of John B. Montgomery,
M.D., Professor Emeritus of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

JULIA ANN McCANN, (honorable mention: CHRISTOPHER THOMAS SIEGEL)

The Baldwin L. Keyes Prize in Psychiatry, given annually by Mr. Joseph H. Levit in memory of his wife, Mae
K. Levit, in honor of Baldwin L. Keyes, M.D., Sc.D., Professor Emeritus of Psychiatry.

MADELINE SANDRA WOOD-WAGEMAKER, (honorable mention: RONALD ANTHONY BERNA)

The William Potter Memorial Prize in Clinical Medicine, award given from a bequest of Mrs. Adaline Potter
Wear for highest attainment.

MADELINE SANDRA WOOD-WAGEMAKER, (honorable mention: PRODRAMOS A. VERVERELI)

The Alumni Prize, awarded by Jefferson Medical College Alumni Association for the highest cumulative
record.

MADELINE SANDRA WOOD-WAGEMAKER, (honorable mention: JOHN MICHAEL DeGAUDIO)

The Louis B. Swisher, Jr. Memorial Prize in Anesthesiology.

KATHRYN JOAN MEYER, (honorable mention: ARTURO NICHOLAS DiNICOLA)

The Philip J. Hodes Prize in Radiology.

JAMES THEODORE TSATALIS, (honorable mention: STEVEN GEORGE IMBESI)

The E. Harold Hinman Memorial Prize, sponsored by family and friends in memory of E. Harold Hinman,
Ph.D., M.D., M.P.H., Professor Emeritus of Preventive Medicine.

DONALD HERBERT ANDERSEN, (honorable mention: SUSAN LIVESAY)

The Leopold Goldstein Memorial Prize in Obstetrics and Gynecology, sponsored by Mrs. Leopold Goldstein and daughters in memory of Leopold Goldstein, M.D., for the highest average in Obstetrics and Gynecology.
ROBERT JOHN STOFFA, (honorable mention: DEBRA LYNN SOMERS)

The Arthur Krieger Memorial Prize in Family Medicine, sponsored by family and friends in memory of Arthur Krieger, M.D.
JULIA ANN McCANN, (honorable mention: MICHELE DIANE DAVIS)

The Arthur Krieger Memorial Prize in Neurology, sponsored by family and friends in memory of Arthur Krieger, M.D.

THEODORE ALEXANDER NUKES, (honorable mention: NINA JEAN SOLENSKI)

The Dean Marie Baner Memorial Prize in Pediatrics, sponsored by family and friends in memory of Dean Marie Baner, M.D., a graduate of the Class of 1973, for excellence in Pediatrics.
KATHLEEN MICHELE PALMER, (honorable mention: LISA CAROLE VERNON)

The Hubert Spencer Sear Memorial Prize in Radiology, sponsored by family and friends in memory of Hubert Spencer Sear, M.D., a graduate of the Class of 1950.
KEVIN PATRICK BARRY, (honorable mention: RICHARD JOHN RIZZO)

The Philip and Bella Medoff Memorial Prize is sponsored by their son Joseph Medoff, M.D., his wife and children. The Prize is given to a senior medical student who is a member of the Hobart Amory Hare Medical Society and who is recommended by the Magee Professor of Medicine and the faculty advisor of the Society for excellence in Internal Medicine and outstanding contributions to the Society.
DANA BRUCE GREENBLATT, (honorable mention: KATHLEEN O'CONNOR VERVERELI)

The Lemmon Prize in Anesthesiology is awarded from an endowment established by members of the family of Dr. William Lemmon, Sr., who was Professor of Surgery and a member of the faculty at Jefferson Medical College from 1923 to 1964. The Lemmon Prize is given to a graduate who has done original clinical work or writing in the field of Anesthesiology.
RAYMOND PAUL COOMBE, (honorable mention: ROBERT ALAN MEDVE)

The Hyman Menduke Research Prize is sponsored by Dr. T. Michael LeWitt of the Class of 1974 and is awarded to a graduating senior who, as determined by the Committee on Research of the Faculty, has demonstrated excellence in research while a student at Jefferson Medical College.
JOHN JOSEPH VIOLA

The Annie Simpson General Medicine Prize to be awarded to the medical student who shall receive the best general average in general medicine.
JOHN MICHAEL SPANDORFER, (honorable mention: DAVID THOMAS SAWYER)

The Annie Simpson Lung Disease Prize to be awarded to the medical student who shall receive the best general average in lung diseases.
MARGARET HELEN DUFFY, (honorable mention: JOHN MICHAEL SPANDORFER)

The William F. Kellow Prize is to be awarded to the student who most closely exemplifies the attributes of the ideal physician. Sponsored by family and friends in memory of William F. Kellow, M.D., Dean and Vice President of Jefferson Medical College from 1967 to 1981.
JOHN JOSEPH VIOLA, (honorable mention: SUSAN LIVESAY, STEVEN GEORGE IMBESI, and CONNIE S. DRAPCHO-FOTI)

The William C. Davis Prize is awarded to a senior who will pursue a career in Emergency Medicine. Sponsored by Mrs. Charlotte Davis in memory of her son William C. Davis, M.D., an alumnus of Jefferson Medical College.
JODY PAVLINKO GHOSH, (honorable mention: GREGORY J. TARASKA)

The Arnold R. Weitz Memorial Prize in Hematology is awarded to a senior medical student for outstanding aptitude and interest in Hematology. Sponsored by family and friends in memory of Arnold R. Weitz, M.D.
EDWARD RUSSELL HARDIMAN

The J. Woodrow Savacool Prize in Medical Ethics awarded to a senior medical student who embodies the traditional ideal of "caring for people." Sponsored by a Committee of Friends and Colleagues of J. Woodrow Savacool, M.D., an alumnus and former member of the medical faculty of Jefferson Medical College.
MADELINE SANDRA WOOD-WAGEMAKER, (honorable mention: MICHAEL KEVIN CONWAY and ANDREW DAVID MARKIEWITZ)

Upjohn Achievement Award to be given to a Senior Medical Student who shows outstanding all-around achievement in Clinical proficiency.
RANDALL DAVID BLINN, (honorable mention: HARRY AARON KAHN)

The Janet M. Glasgow American Medical Women's Association Award of Outstanding Achievement presented to a woman standing first in her class at graduation.
MADELINE SANDRA WOOD-WAGEMAKER

The Janet M. Glasgow American Medical Women's Association Scholarship Achievement Citation.
PATRICIA BETH AMADIO
LORI RENEE CUTLER
CONNIE S. DRAPCHO-FOTI
CHERYL ADELE HANAU
DONNA MARIE KONLIAN
DENISE GAIL KREIDER-VOLOSHIN
SUSAN LIVESAY
ELIZABETH REED LIVINGSTON
JODY PAVLINKO-GHOSH
HEIDI ROCHELLE RUSS

The Lange Medical Publications Prizes to each of two outstanding Senior Students. A gift of four Lange Publications books.
CHERYL ADELE HANAU
DONNA MARIE KONLIAN

W. B. Saunders Company Prize to an outstanding student in the Senior Year. Medical Publications.
JOHN MICHAEL DELGAUDIO

The Rittenhouse Book Store Prize to a graduating student who has made a significant contribution to the College.
KATHLEEN MICHELE PALMER

AWARDED TO A THIRD-YEAR STUDENT

Jerome J. Cooper Scholarship Fund. This scholarship is awarded annually to students who show outstanding all-around achievement. It was established by Elsie Cooper in memory of her son, and Delphine Cooper in memory of her husband, the children in memory of their father, and the sisters and brothers in memory of their brother.
SHERRI L. KRAMER

DOCTOR OF LAWS—WILLIAM H. GRAY, III

As the new Chairman of the House Democratic Caucus, Representative William H. Gray, III begins another phase of his impressive career of leadership and service in his sixth term as Representative of Pennsylvania's Second Congressional District. In this position, he will help House Democrats set priorities and determine strategies for Congressional action.

Currently, he serves on the Committee on Appropriations as a ranking member of the Subcommittee on Transportation and a member of the Subcommittee on Foreign Operations. He sits on the Democratic Steering Policy Committee and on the National Economic Commission, a bipartisan, blue ribbon panel reviewing ways to reduce the federal deficit and stimulate economic growth. Previously, Representative Gray served four years as Chairman of the House Committee on the Budget where his fiscal expertise brought him national recognition. He has served as Vice Chairman of the Congressional Black Caucus and as the Chairman of the Platform Drafting Committee for the 1988 Democratic Convention.

First elected in 1978, he emerged as a leading spokesman on African policy. He authored the bill to establish the African Development Foundation to provide United States aid to African villages, the only new agency created by a freshman and passed by Congress in this century. He was one of the first to warn of famine in Ethiopia, and he sponsored the 1984 aid bill which provided food to the people of that devastated land. In addition, he authored the House version of the Anti-Apartheid Acts of 1985 and 1986 which limited American financial support for apartheid.

Also a leader in domestic policy, he authored, in 1983, the first of a series of set-aside provisions which required the U.S. Agency for International Development to include minority and women business owners, historically black colleges, and minority private agencies to participate in development assistance programs. These groups have received three hundred million dollars in contracts over the past three years and anticipate an additional one billion dollars within the next ten years.

Representative Gray was born in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, in 1942, and was raised in North Philadelphia. He received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Franklin and Marshall College in 1963, a Masters in Divinity from Drew Theological Seminary in 1966, and a Masters in Theology from the Princeton Theological Seminary in 1970. He has been senior minister at Bright Hope Baptist Church in North Philadelphia since 1972.

Representative Gray is married to the former Andrea Dash of Montclair, New Jersey, and has three sons.

DOCTOR OF SCIENCE—ALLAN J. ERSLEV

Allan J. Erslev, M.D., Distinguished Professor of Medicine, Jefferson Medical College, and former Director of the Cardeza Foundation for Hematologic Research, performed experiments in 1953 which proved the existence of a factor in the plasma of anemic rabbits which stimulated red blood cell production. This factor, later known as the hormone erythropoietin, was cloned and mass produced in 1985. It is believed erythropoietin will soon be available to replace blood transfusions for kidney dialysis patients, alleviate their anemia, and improve the quality of their lives. Current clinical studies also suggest that the hormone may allow surgical candidates to auto-transfuse their blood frequently prior to surgery.

Doctor Erslev was born in Copenhagen, Denmark, in 1919. He attended the University of Copenhagen Medical School and graduated in 1945. His training included a term as a Clinical Fellow in Research at the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research and as Damon Runyon Clinical Research Fellow at Yale University School of Medicine.

His prestigious appointments include Instructor in Medicine, Yale University School of Medicine, Research Associate at the Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, and Assistant Professor of Medicine, Harvard University School of Medicine. In 1959, he was appointed Associate Director of the Cardeza Foundation for Hematologic Research at Jefferson Medical College where he served as Director from 1963 through 1985. In 1985, he was named Distinguished Professor of Medicine at Jefferson Medical College.

Doctor Erslev's vast contributions to the study of hematology include hundreds of reviews and articles. He is a co-author and a co-editor of *Hematology*, a textbook which will soon be in its fourth printing. With Thomas G. Gabuzda, M.D., Professor of Medicine, Jefferson Medical College, he co-authored *Pathophysiology of Blood* which is now in its third printing.

Active in many professional organizations, he has been a Fellow, American College of Physicians; President of the Interurban Clinical Club; and a member of the Hematology Study Section of the National Institutes of Health. From 1967-1971, he was a contributing editor, *Acta Haematologica*, and he served on the editorial board of *Hematologic Pathology* in 1985.

Doctor Erslev was awarded a Guggenheim Fellowship in 1967, and was named the William B. Castle Lecturer, Boston University, in 1982. In 1987, he was named a Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science. His portrait was presented to Thomas Jefferson University by the Class of 1972, an honor of which he is especially proud.

At age seventy, Doctor Erslev continues his lifelong work of teaching and research. He is pleased that he has been able to observe and participate in the scientific work and clinical applications which have arisen from research done so early in his career, and he eagerly looks forward to the time when erythropoietin will be widely available for all who may benefit from its use.

Doctor Erslev is married to the former Betsy Lewis and has four children.

THE UNIVERSITY MACE

The Thomas Jefferson University Mace, carried for the first time in the 1986 Commencement Ceremonies by the Grand Marshal, was designed and cast by Howard Serlick, member of the Guild of Mastercraftsmen, Winterthur Scholar, and Chief Conservator (Gilding) of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. It was crafted by silversmith Eugene Zweigle and woodturner Michael Copeland.

The four-foot long, fourteen-pound Mace is made of ebony highlighted with lapis lazuli to reflect Jefferson's colors (black and blue). It features a miniature of Henry Mitchell's sculpture, The Winged Ox, symbol of Saint Luke the Physician, the original of which stands beside the Scott Building on Walnut Street. The miniature was cast in silver by Mister Zweigle, who also fabricated the University seal, the profile of Thomas Jefferson, mounted at the base of the staff. The J. E. Caldwell Company coordinated the project.

Mister Mitchell's original statue of The Winged Ox, adopted by the University in 1976 as its symbol of clinical excellence, is mounted on a column containing the names of fifty medical scientists who have most advanced the art of healing. It also reflects the historical evolution of Thomas Jefferson University from its beginnings as Jefferson Medical College in 1824 to its current status as an academic health center comprising the Medical College, the College of Allied Health Sciences, the College of Graduate Studies, and the Jefferson Hospital.

The Mace, a grand emblem of the University's heritage, is carried at the head of all formal academic processions.

THE ACADEMIC COSTUME

The wearing of academic dress dates back to the early days of the older universities in the world. In the American Council on Education's book entitled "American University and Colleges" it is suggested that "gowns may have been counted necessary for warmth in the unheated buildings frequented by medieval scholars. Hoods seem to have served to cover the tonsured head . . ."

Throughout the years European universities have continued to show great diversity in their academic dress. American universities, on the other hand, when they decided to adopt academic dress in 1895, immediately established a code of regulations which today is followed by almost all American institutions. The establishment of this code has made it possible to distinguish the Associates, Bachelors, Masters, and Doctors and at the same time recognize the university which has given them the degree. Revisions to the code have occurred from time to time.

The Associate in Arts and Bachelor's gowns have pointed sleeves and are worn closed. The Master's gown has oblong sleeves, open at the wrist. The rear part of its oblong shape is square cut and the front part has an arc cut away, and is worn open or closed. The Doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves. It is worn opened or closed. Cotton poplin or similar material is used for the Associate's, Bachelor's and Master's degrees, and rayon or silk ribbed material is used for the Doctor's degree. The majority of gowns are black but a number of institutions have adopted other colors to identify special programs or groups within the institution.

The hoods vary in length: 48 inches for the Doctor's degree, 42 inches for the Master's, and 36 inches for the Bachelor's and Associate's. All hoods are lined in silk in the academic color or colors of the institution conferring the degree. If the institution has more than one color, the colors are shown in divisions using chevrons. The binding or edge of the Doctor's, Master's and Bachelor's hoods are usually made of velvet in the color designating the subject in which the degree was granted. The Associate of Arts hood has no velvet border. The outside is black.

Black mortarboards are most commonly worn; six-sided tams of various colors may be used.

Some of the colors in the bindings of the hoods are:

white	Arts and Letters	green	Medicine
tan	Business	apricot	Nursing
lilac	Dentistry	dark blue	Philosophy
light blue	Education	salmon pink	Public Health
purple	Law	golden yellow	Science

The colors of the linings of the hoods for some Philadelphia academic health institutions are:

black and blue	Thomas Jefferson University	silver gray and scarlet	The Medical College of Pennsylvania
red and blue	University of Pennsylvania		
blue and gold	Hahnemann University	white and cherry	Temple University

THE JEFFERSON PROCESSIONAL

The Jefferson Processional was commissioned by the Alumni Association of Jefferson Medical College and played for the first time on November 15, 1974, at the Sesquicentennial Celebration of Jefferson Medical College of Thomas Jefferson University. This piece was presented to Thomas Jefferson University by the President of the Alumni Association of Jefferson Medical College, Doctor John J. Gartland. The composition was composed by Burle Marx.

THE PRESIDENTIAL BADGE OF THOMAS JEFFERSON UNIVERSITY

The President's Badge was created for the Inauguration of Lewis W. Bluemle, Jr., M.D. as President of Thomas Jefferson University on September 7, 1977. It consists of four official corporate seals of Thomas Jefferson University and the predecessor corporation, The Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia. These seals were used to mark diplomas, certificates, and other official documents and have been gold-plated to form the Presidential Badge. When worn by the President they are suspended from a black and blue ribbon, the University colors, united in the form of a circle with each seal comprising a top, bottom, right and left medallion.

The medallion on the President's right is the corporate seal of Thomas Jefferson University today and was created in 1969 when The Jefferson Medical College became Thomas Jefferson University. It carries a contemporary likeness of Thomas Jefferson.

The other three medallions are the various seals that were used in The Jefferson Medical College for many years. The oldest, at the bottom, marked every diploma that was issued by the College from 1839 to 1967. This seal carries a traditional likeness of a young Thomas Jefferson and the founding date of the College as 1826. Prior to 1839 the diploma of The Jefferson Medical College carried the seal of the parent institution, the Jefferson College in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania. The old corporate seal on the left bears the Latin words "Sigillum Jeffersoniani Medicinae Collegii-Philadelphiae" with no date.

The seal at the top was developed in 1967 as a result of research done by the late Edward L. Bauer, Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics, who determined that the founding year of Jefferson Medical College was 1824 rather than 1826. This seal is identical to the present corporate seal except that the words "Thomas Jefferson University" are replaced by "Jefferson Medical College." It was used only for the two years of 1967 to 1969.

The Presidential Badge is on permanent display in the Scott Library and is used at all convocations of the University.

